

Bugbee's Department Store

WINDHAM COUNTY'S TRADING CENTRE

January Clearance Sale

NOW IN PROGRESS

Our Clearance Sale at the beginning of the New Year is an annual event. It means two things: for US exactly what the word "clearance" expresses, a removal of certain goods from our store to make room for other goods; for YOU it means the securing of many things you want at a saving that is decidedly worth while. Bear this fact in mind—with the present high costs in all lines of merchandise we are selling goods in every department of our store at prices lower than we can purchase them ourselves from the manufacturers. Take advantage NOW of the offerings we make. Spring prices will positively be advanced.

B. D. BUGBEE, Putnam, Conn.

DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

DANIELSON

Borough Elks at Putnam Charity Ball—Funeral of Mrs. Frank Besette—Charles B. Hutchins' Hens Lay 11,362 Eggs in 1916—Scouts to Work For Hartford Expenses—Burnett-Lee Wedding at Providence.

Postmaster and Mrs. George M. Phillips have been at Gardner, Mass., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Melton.

Invited to Service.

Rev. E. A. Legg has invited the members of the local troop to attend service at the Methodist church Sunday, Feb. 11, Boy Scout Sunday throughout the United States.

The special sale of undergarments, at the Progressive store, closes tomorrow (Saturday)—adv.

James Monahan is ill at his home on Maple street.

Miss Susie Collins leaves tomorrow for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dean, formerly of Danielson, in South Carolina.

President Fifteen Years.

Rev. C. H. Barber, who declined reelection to the presidency of the Connecticut Temperance union, held the office for fifteen years, during which period much was accomplished in the interest of temperance.

The K. H. S. basketball team will play in Putnam for a game with P. H. S. this (Friday) evening.

Danielson sent a large delegation to the annual charity ball of Putnam lodge of Elks Thursday evening.

An enjoyable trip was reported Thursday by the dozen or so of the boys who were at Willimantic Wednesday evening for the installation of the encampment officers there, the installing officer being Stephen Douglas, of South Killingly.

Brooklyn-Willimantic Trolley Project. Judge Oscar F. Atwood's (Brooklyn) legislative measures for a charter for an electric railway from Manchester, through Willimantic, Hampton and Brooklyn, to Danielson, revives memories of various long past projects to put a railway line through a territory that must some day be benefited by such a means of transportation.

For years it was expected that a steam road, starting from Providence, would be built out to Danielson and on Brooklyn to Willimantic. As a matter of fact work on such a line was started.

YOUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED! LOOK AT TONGUE

IF CROSS, FEVERISH OR BILIOUS GIVE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS."

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given. If your little one is out-of-sorts, pale, sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look! Mother! See if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that his little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When clogged, irritable, feverish, touch sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of California Syrup of Figs, and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative" because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages, and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California

Weak Lungs and Chest Troubles

respond more quickly to the blood-enriching oil-food in

SCOTT'S EMULSION

than to any other one medicine. SCOTT'S is a rich, nourishing food to strengthen tender throats and bronchial tubes. It is of peculiar benefit to the respiratory tract and is liberally used in tuberculosis camps for that purpose.

You get no alcohol in Scott's.

ed and the road, still in operation, built from Providence to Hope, R. I. It is now a part of the New Haven system.

FUNERAL.

Mrs. Frank Besette, from her home on the West Side the funeral of Mrs. Marceline Besette, wife of Frank Besette, was held Thursday morning, with services attended by many relatives and friends at St. James' church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Peter Roux, M. S., was celebrant of the high mass of requiem. Burial was in Holy Cross cemetery, Maple street. The bearers were John Fournier, John M. Besette, Joseph Polier, P. Godreau, Trefele Bernier and Andre Proulx. Louis E. Kennedy was the funeral director.

PROFITABLE HENS.

Flocked Owned By Charles B. Hutchins Laid 11,362 Eggs in 1916.

In sending a certified statement to a concern that is offering money prizes for the best showing made in the poultry and egg producing business Charles B. Hutchins, East Franklin street, reveals some figures that are little less than astounding as to profit per hen during 1916.

Mr. Hutchins' statement shows that on a flock averaging 83 members throughout the year and never exceeding 100 in number, his profit per hen was \$33.19. A dollar a hen is considered an excellent showing, so what Mr. Hutchins' flock is credited with is remarkable. During the twelve months the flock laid 11,362 eggs, the average price for which was 23 cents per dozen. With other items of revenue from the flock the total income per hen mentioned was secured.

Scouts to Earn Hartford Expense Fund. Rev. E. A. Legg, who has charge of the Boy Scout troop here, announced Thursday that the sixteen boys who make up the troop have adopted a novel means of raising revenue sufficient to defray their expenses to the state convention of Boy Scouts to be held in Hartford, February 24. That they may attend as a troop, they are to devote their spare time and energy during the next few weeks to collecting old newspapers, books and magazines, which as waste paper, will be sold in a market that is particularly advantageous, as to prices procurable at the present time. It is estimated that from \$40 to \$50 will be required to meet the expense of the trip to Hartford. Like true Scouts, the boys are willing to work for what they get, so have divided the borough into districts and will make their canvass complete and diligent. Tom Danielson of the troop will have supervision of the work of the collectors and will send messages to 265-4 informing him where old paper, etc., can be secured will receive prompt.

The boys who make up the troop are: Tom Danielson, Howard Franklin, Ernest Dyson, William Whipple, Elliott Keach, Harry E. Back, Jr., Jerome W. Smith, Marion Young, Donald Armstrong, Eric Gilbert, Dean Whitman, Paul Bitgood and Frank Tomlin, a recruit.

At the Hartford meeting which the boys are so anxious to attend there will be all kinds of scout tests and contests and a big state parade.

WEDDING.

Burnett-Lee.

The following relative to William N. Burnett, formerly in business here, and his taking of a bride, is from a Providence paper.

Miss Maud Genevieve Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Lee of 265-4, was married to William N. Burnett of Providence, R. I., son of Frank J. Burnett, of Killingly, Conn., were married in North Presbyterian church parish house Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William W. Kennedy, pastor of the church. Louis B. Freer played the wedding music from Lohengrin. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Pauline Wolfe, L. Burnett of Providence, brother of the groom, was best man. The ushers were H. W. Davidson, George Hazard and Clarence W. Carroll. The bride's gown was of ivory satin and Duchesse lace and she wore a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. Her tulle veil was caught with orange blossoms. Miss Wolfe wore white organdy over pink chiffon and carried Killarney roses.

An informal reception and buffet luncheon followed the ceremony, and musical selections were given by Miss Hattie Ferguson and Mr. Freer. Mrs. Herbert W. Davidson and Mrs. Clarence W. Carroll, assisted by Miss Ann Hunt, Miss Ida MacFarland, Miss Laurene Benner and Miss Ruby Hickok, served at the buffet which was decorated with pink roses and fine ferns.

Among the out of town guests were Frank J. Burnett of Killingly, Conn., father of the groom. Preuptial entertainment was given for the bride by Mrs. H. W. Davidson, Mrs. C. W. Carroll, Miss Ruby Hickok, Miss Laurene Benner, Miss Ida MacFarland, Miss Ann Hunt, Mrs. S. A. McCammon and the Dorena Class of North Presbyterian church, of which the bride is a member. Mr. and Mrs. Burnett will reside in Providence.

A key for police patrol boxes has been made of a non-conducting material to guard users from possible electric shocks.

PUTNAM

Many Attractive Features at Elks' Ball—Phalanx May Take Up Observance of Putnam Anniversary—Joseph W. Cutler Weds Mrs. Mary J. Manter—Death of Mrs. Maxime Bibeault.

One of the finest of the social affairs of the winter season was the fifth annual concert and ball of Putnam lodge of Elks, in Union hall, Thursday evening. There were many visitors from Webster, Danielson, Pomfret and other places in which the local lodge has jurisdiction and membership.

Music for the dancing was by the Cargill orchestra. From 8 to 9 there was a concert program, followed by 16 dance numbers. The grand march was led by Exalted Ruler W. D. Wilson and Miss Mae Bradley.

Exalted Ruler Wilson gave the Elks' toast at eleven o'clock. At this hour there was intermission and numbers of the dancers adjourned to nearby hotels for supper parties.

During the evening exhibition dances were given in the ball room by Miss Minnie Girard and Hugh McCooey, professional dancers who have been seen much at Narragansett Pier and Newport.

The committee in charge of the floor at the ball was made up of William Devine, who was floor director; the aides were Frank Pokar, Louis E. Kennedy, Alexander Gilman, William Ormsbee.

The arrangements committee was made up of George Lewis, chairman; Ralph X. Bugbee, William Devine, Charles Dean, William Ormsbee, Jas. Charron and William D. Wilson.

PUTNAM OBSERVANCE

May be Taken Up by Phalanx Through Souvenir Taylor.

In addition to what he has done already to stimulate interest in this city in the project of observing the 20th anniversary of the birth of General Israel Putnam, revolutionary patriot, on January 7, of next year, Sovereign W. H. Taylor is busy in the state capital with a view to having an observance there.

It is now stated that he has been so successful in this effort to interest members of the Putnam Phalanx in his proposition and that the organization is going to take it up and give it thought.

Mr. Taylor is elated over this early success and hopes later to hear that his old home city, named for General Putnam, will also be in line when the time for the observance rolls around.

JOSEPH W. CUTLER WEDS MRS. MARY J. MANTER

His Second Venture—She a Blushing Bride for The Third Time.

Announcement was received here Thursday of the marriage in Providence of Joseph W. Cutler, a retired septuagenarian business man of this city, to Miss Mary J. Manter, daughter of Taunton, Mass. Announcement that they had filed an application for a marriage license in the Rhode Island city was made a few days ago, and that the marriage was awaiting the notice of intent to marry, as required under the Rhode Island statutes.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. Cutler and the third for Mrs. Cutler, who is 52. It is stated that the couple met at a summer family reunion in a year ago and that was the beginning of their romance.

Mr. and Mrs. Cutler are en route to Florida, where they will spend the winter. In the spring they will come to Putnam, where they will have a home at the corner of Grove and Wilkinson streets.

Mr. Cutler has been a resident of this city for 50 years.

A Foolish Legislative Measure. Scores of county correspondents in Windham county towns for papers published here and outside of the county read with more than passing interest Thursday of the bill that has been introduced in the Connecticut legislature providing that such correspondents must be licensed, at a fee of \$10 a year, and undergo certain mental tests as to their ability to write in a scientific, legal, socially correct and highly harmonious manner as it were, the fact that "John Jones spent Thursday in Putnam."

As a matter of fact, scores of these correspondents send in little items that are to many people who are subscribers to the papers that print the items of more interest than some of the stories that are featured. The little two-line personals are messages from home. Those who write them frequently get as sole compensation a subscription to the paper that prints them. Others of these correspondents earn from 15 to 30 cents a week. Obliging these correspondents by paying \$10 a year for the privilege of being journalists is hardly an edifying example of what might honestly be expected from men who command sufficient respect in their home towns to get elected to the legislature.

Will Hear Hartford Addresses. A delegation of members of the Putnam Equal Franchise league will meet this (Friday) afternoon with the Misses Russell.

Pastor Retires. Rev. Walter P. Buck, a former resident of Middlebury, R. I., has been obliged to retire on account of ill health.

Mr. O. Wilbur of Norwich is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Baker.

Lincoln Luce and Dr. C. B. Tschummi have returned from a brief visit in New York.

Mrs. George Adams has gone to

Natick, Mass., where she will spend the winter.

Red Men's Installation. Onece tribe of Red Men has installed the following officers: Prophet, Edgar Young; sachem, George Beaudrand; senior saganamore, W. N. Therson; junior saganamore, Martin Argmta; keeper of wampum, Thomas P. Jenkins.

George P. Whiting of the Hollow is ill with pneumonia.

The cold weather of the past week has been pretty hard on water pipes. As a result several of them are out of commission and plumbers are having a busy interval.

R. W. Hack of West Stafford is ill with rheumatism.

Stenographer Resigns. Miss Helen Butterfield employed for several years as stenographer for the Warren Woollen company has resigned. Frederick Paulner, who has been ill for the past week is making a good recovery.

Mrs. James Vall of South Glastonbury is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Rubideau.

Prof. Charles H. Shauk of the Hartford Theological Seminary, will speak in the interest of the Connecticut Temperance union at the West Stafford Congregational church Sunday evening.

Short Paragraphs. The members of the Rosary society

is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Fane.

Mrs. Amos Hancox entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church at her home on Frazier street, Thursday afternoon.

The monthly supper given by the ladies of the Union Baptist church was largely attended Thursday evening.

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Same thing is happening everywhere.

Why?

Because every man who tries Murad continues to smoke Murad.

The greatest enjoyment value in cigarette history is Murad.

You can't stop the daily increase in popularity of Murad, The Turkish Cigarette.

Judge for yourself—compare Murad with any 25 Cent Cigarette

REMEMBER—
Turkish tobacco is the world's most famous tobacco for cigarettes.

FIFTEEN CENTS

THE TURKISH CIGARETTE

were the sponsors. Joseph Duprey was a Jewett City caller recently.

Mrs. Thomas Newman and daughter Doris of Franklin called on local friends Thursday.

One Bright Bit. The true optimist who has been as hard on the cost of living and still is driving his year-before last automobile consoles himself by looking at the continued declared unconstitutionality.—Indianapolis News.

Should Be Through. Senator Owen, who wants federal judges removed from office for holding an act of congress unconstitutional, might go the limit and have the continued declared unconstitutional.—Indianapolis News.

No Reason for Alarm. Let the two houses of congress come to a decision on the proposed two houses that are managing this peace business are the White House and the Capitol House.—Charleston News and Courier.

The Youthful Aged. As usual at the opening of the skating season, grandfather wince be on hand to show the young generation the mysteries of the Dutch roll.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

Q-BAN REVIVES COLOR GLANDS

Darkens Gray Hair Naturally.

Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer is no dye, but acts on the roots, making hair and scalp healthy and restoring the color glands of the hair. So if your hair is gray, faded, bleached, prematurely gray, brittle or falling apply Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer (as directed on bottle), to hair and scalp. In a short time your hair will be restored to an even delicate, dark shade and entire head of hair will become soft, lustrous and of such an even beautiful dark color no one could tell you had applied Q-Ban. Also grows drooping and falling hair, to lustrous and abundant without even a trace of gray. Sold in a money-back guarantee or sent for a big bottle at Lee & Osgood's Drug Store, Norwich, Conn. Out-of-town folks supplied by mail.

Scene from "Rolling Stones," Five-Part Paramount Production, Starring Owen Moore and Marguerite Courtot, Feature at the Bred Theatre Today and Saturday.